

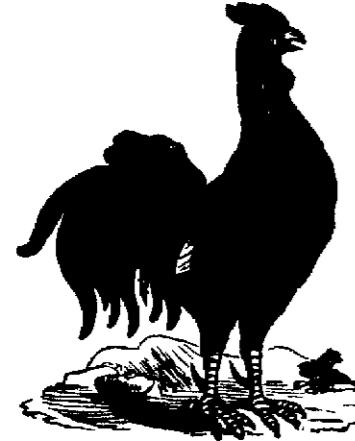
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GRAND CLEARANCE SALE!



REGARDLESS of COST

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AND BE CONVINCED:

MEN'S OVERCOATS at \$3;
FORMER PRICE, \$5.

MEN'S OVERCOATS at \$5.50;
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Magnificent Overcoats for \$10;
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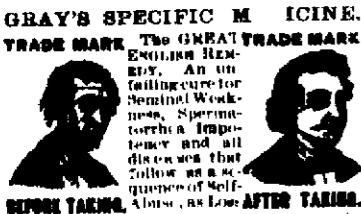
BOYS' SUITS, \$4.50 and \$5.

All Winter Goods reduced in same proportion, to make room for Spring purchases, soon to arrive. Also a large lot of

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Who want glossy, luxuriant and wavy tresses of abundant, beautiful Hair must use LYON'S KATHAIRON. This elegant, cheap article makes the Hair grow freely and fast, keeps it from falling out, arrests and cures grayness, removes dandruff and itching, makes the Hair strong, giving it a curling tendency and keeping it in any desired position. Beautiful, healthy Hair is the sure result of using Kathairon.

A CHANGE.
GOOD CROSERIES
At Fair Prices.

The under-gowned, who was for years connected with the Decatur Woolen Mill, has purchased the grocery store of Frank Littner, at the corner of Mason and Broadway, and will continue the business at the same place. I have replenished the stock with a fine assortment of

NEW AND FRESH GROCERIES,
and will be glad to receive the favor of all old customers of the house, as well as of many new ones. The highest market price paid in cash or exchange for all kinds of country produce.

W. J. MYERS.

Feb. 2, 1881.—d&w&f

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of THOMAS STANFIELD, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Stanfield, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the Probate Court of Macon county, to be held at the court house of Decatur, A. D. 1881, being the first Monday of March.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 2, A. D. 1881.

F. L. WOOD, Executor.

RESIDENCE—No. 45, West Prairie street, 4½ blocks west of the tabernacle.

P. S. In connection with the above will give attention to FINE GRANITE MONUMENTAL WORK.

\$5 to \$20 per day at home. Samples

50 to \$100 worth \$5 free. Address F. L. WOOD & CO., Portland, Maine.

(Relatively)

FOUR SONS IN PRISON.

One of the saddest scenes ever witnessed in the Missouri penitentiary transpired one day last week. A mother met four of her sons wearing the striped suits as convicts within its walls. Their names and crimes as recorded on the penitentiary rolls are: James Greenwade, aged 30 years; ten years for robbery; received Nov. 30 last. Luther Greenwade, aged 26 years; seven years for robbery and larceny. Breckinridge Greenwade, aged 25 years; seven years for robbery and larceny. Henry Greenwade, aged 20 years; ten years for robbery and larceny.

The father and mother of these men live in Jefferson, near Mount Sterling, Ky.; keep a hotel there, and are tolerably well-to-do in life. Four or five years ago the elder brother came to Missouri and bought a farm near Butler, in Bates county. The younger brothers followed soon after, and the four lived together on the place, the oldest being married. Neighbors looked upon them as people of means, and respectable. For two or three years all sorts of devilment was perpetrated in and around Butler. Persons were waylaid and robbed by masked men. Mails were rifled, burglaries committed, and hogs stolen. At length suspicion centered on the Greenwades and they were watched by officers and citizens, and at last caught "dead to right." Mail pouches, cut open and rifled, were found in the cellar, and other stolen property on their premises. Conviction was easy and they were landed in the penitentiary. At the time stated the mother, hearing her sons were in trouble, posted in haste to Bates county, only to learn that they had all been convicted of crimes and taken to the state prison. With her daughter-in-law and the latter's two children, she reached Jefferson city and at once proceeded to the penitentiary. The meeting with her sons was terribly affecting, and it is asserted Deputy Warden Bradbury for once in his life gave way to the melting mood.

"My God," she exclaimed, "that a mother should live to see her beloved boys in such a place."

The officials were kind and tender to the afflicted ones, but they had at last to use force in separating the mother from her sons and induce her to leave them after a visit of three or four hours. Mrs. Greenwade is a woman of not over fifty years in appearance, well mannered, strong minded, and intelligent; but the fearful realization was more than her mother's heart could bear unmoved, and she gave vent to her shame and sorrow in a manner more affecting than was ever before witnessed within the prison walls. She left for her Kentucky home, taking her daughter-in-law and the children with her.

There is one more son, who will doubtless never disgrace his name, for he is a minister of the gospel in good standing. One of the convicts is in the prison hospital.

Oh, What Cough!

Will you heed the warning. The signal perhaps of the sure approach of that more terrible disease consumption. Ask yourselves if you can afford for the sake of saving 10 cents to run the risk and do nothing for it. We know from experience that Shiloh's cure will cure your cough. It never fails. This explains why more than a million bottles were sold the past year. It relieves croup, and whooping cough, at once. Mothers do not heed without it. For lame back, side, or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

Dyspepsia & Liver Complaint. Is it not worth the small price of 25 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so, call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer, every bottle has a printed guarantee on it, use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Henry Smith.

We have a speedy and positive cure for asthma, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal injector goes with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith, druggist.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.

For the speedy cure of Consumption and all diseases that lead to it, such as stubborn Coughs, neglected Colds, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Asthma, pain in the side and chest, dry hacking cough, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, sore throat, and all chronic or lingering diseases of the throat and lungs. Dr. Kline's New Discovery has no equal and has established for itself a world-wide reputation. Many leading physicians recommend and use it in their practice. The formula from which it is prepared is highly recommended by all medical journals. The clergy and the press have complimented it as the most glowing terms. Go to your druggist and get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size for \$1.00. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

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F. L. WOOD, Executor.

SPRING Beds, Cooking Stoves, Parlor Seats, at cost, at Ashby & Andrews', east of Shillabarger's mill. Want them off the way.

20d&f

Remove your shoe bills by buying Barber & Baker.

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B. STINE,

"Boss Clothier!"

OFFERS TO THE TRADE THE LARGEST STOCK OF

Overcoats, Ulsters and Ulsterettes

IN MEN'S, YOUTH'S BOYS' and CHILDREN'S.

EVER EXHIBITED IN THIS MARKET.

OUR ASSORTMENT IS SIMPLY IMMENSE,

—AND—

OUR PRICES DEFY ANY AND ALL COMPETITION.

\$2.00 will buy a substantial Overcoat.

\$7.50 buys a Dressy Overcoat.

\$10.00 takes a Summer.

\$12.50 buys a Fine Beaver.

Our \$15.00 Coat is simply immense.

\$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.00 buys the finest

Ready-made Overcoats in market.

In short, we can suit you, please you, fit you, and all your friends—Bring them in and take yourself along with them. Always on hand.

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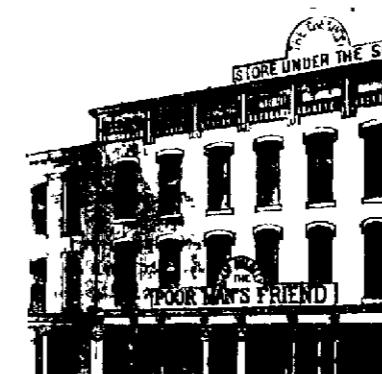
CLOTHING!

For Men, Youths, Boys and Children, and plenty to go around.

Nov. 12, 1880—d&w&f



"CHEAP CHARLEY'S" CORNER.



WHO EVER!

WANTS TO BENEFIT BY

Our Between Season

Clearing Sale!

WILL DO WELL TO

CALL NOW.

Clothing is Down!

FOR THE PRESENT:

CHEAP CHARLEY.



KAUFMANN & SACHSE
Manufacturers of
MEN'S AND BOYS'
Clothing!
Dealers in
Goods for Men's Wear.
Cor. East Main & West Main.
DECATUR.
W. Patterson Del.
Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank, nor state,
But GET RIGH UP AND GIT that makes men great.
Factory—Chicago, Ill.
Jan. 12—d&w&f

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.

DECATUR'S LEADING JEWELERS.

WE ARE ALWAYS READY TO

SHOW YOU MORE GOODS!

LATER PATTERNS.

AND

LOWER PRICES

than any one in central Illinois. Never buy until you have examined

OUR GOODS AND PRICES

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

17 East Main St., Decatur, Ill.

Jan. 21—d&w&f

J. J. PEDDECORD, L. BURROWS, W. M. BOYD

BANKING HOUSE

OF

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.

WE HAVE

MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms.

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

For a general Banking Business as transacted

but no interest paid on deposits.

FIRE! FIRE! FIRE!

The man who tried to build a fire when he

was not in a dangerous position, and had an

explosion when he did it, is exposed to the

danger of his own life, and the danger of his

neighbor's life, and the danger of his neighbor's

The great essayist, biographer and historian, Thomas Carlyle, died at London on Saturday morning in the 86th year of his age. Although popularly known as an English writer, Mr. Carlyle was a Scotchman by birth, and a graduate of the University of Edinburgh, and had acquired fame as an author before he went to London to reside, in 1834. His best known works are: "Sartor Resartus," "The History of the French Revolution," "The Life of Frederick the Great," "The Life of Schiller," "Oliver Cromwell's Letters and Speeches." During our civil war Carlyle proved to be one of the bitterest enemies of the American government, and exhibited the most intense joy over what he thought betokened its overthrow. He was a hero worshiper, as his works all show, and a hater of the democratic ideas have been crystallized in our republican form of government. Honest he certainly was in his theories of government, but he was wrong all the same.

Ohio's republican criticism of Mr. Hayes for his action toward District Attorney Woodford is very bitter. Mr. Hayes has done much for many Ohio people, and it would be a sad happening indeed, if he should become a prophet without honor in his own country.—New York Herald.

It takes thirty-three thousand votes to elect a Congressman in the Northern States, and but twenty-three thousand in the South. On the basis of voters, the North should have 230 members instead of 193 at present. Of course the constitution requires the apportionment to be made on the same basis of population, but this does not prove what is right and equitable. It is very evident that Southern voters do not all come out to the polls, figure proves that, and it is fair to assume that many fail to vote through intimidation.

NOTHING can be more melancholy than the last days of the American President's term of office. However well he may have acquitted himself in the discharge of his public duties, he is not much regarded when he is about to lay down his power. He glides back into private life almost unnoticed. The interest of the people centres about his successor. The value of the retiring President's services to the country is not known and cannot be estimated at such a time. His virtues and failings must be judged in a calmer season, and his place in history fixed by a later generation. The ex-President's conduct in his retirement and the public appreciation he receives may go far to determine what place he holds in the regard of his fellow citizens. Sincere expressions of feelings concerning him are more apt to come when he has lost his power to reward or punish than when he possessed it. There have been Presidents whose influence has not perished with their resignation of office. Thomas Jefferson at Monticello and Andrew Jackson at the Hermitage wielded a great political authority long after they had left the White House. Pilgrimages were made to their homes as the shrine of some Grecian oracle, and their advice was eagerly sought and generally followed by the members of their own parties. General Grant is another notable instance of a President who has not become obscure in retirement. He was received with almost royal honors in all the courts of Europe, and returned to his own country apparently a greater man than when he left it. That he still had great political influence was shown in the last campaign, when he made the strongest, most powerful, and most effective speech that was produced by either side. What will be the fate of President Hayes in his retirement remains to be seen. Will there be pilgrimages to Fremont? Will the whole nation rise to do him honor and uncover in his presence? Will his services be eagerly sought in the next campaign, and his advice demanded in a critical emergency by his former party associates? Let us live and learn. Nothing can be more certain than that his place in history cannot be determined now in the last days of his dying administration. Welcome the coming spring the parting guest.—Chicago Tribune.

Cabinet Speculations—An Incident of His Academy Life.

Whether or not there is any truth in the report that Robert T. Lincoln, of Chicago, is to have a place in the Garfield's Cabinet, the choice might fall on a much worse man. Mr. Lincoln is a lawyer of high standing, and a worthy son of his noble father. The child is the father of the man, so Wordsworth tells us, and there is an incident of Robert Lincoln's early life which, on this principle, should commend him to present favor. In 1860 he was preparing for Harvard College, at a New England Academy. One night some of the students indulged in the boyish mischief of unbinding gates, pulling down signs, etc. They carried their fun a little too far, and a local lawyer, also a prominent Republican politician, was employed to prosecute them by the persons aggrieved. Abraham Lincoln had then been nominated for the Presidency, and the politician aforesaid was anxious for office. So in summoning the young offenders to appear before him he omitted Lincoln, or possibly he may not have known he was implicated. At any rate he was not called on. This did not consort with his ideas of justice, and he waited upon the lawyer, informing him that he was guilty as any of the others, and demanded that his name should be included. The legal gentleman said he would see about it, and he kept his word by successfully using his influence to have the entire prosecution stopped. So all parties were appeased, the boys escaped scot-free, the politician avoided proceedings against the future President's son, and Robert Lincoln showed himself a chip of the old block. He has done nothing since to forfeit the reputation which his conduct gave him among all who knew the circumstances.

One of the most sensible bills now before the Illinois Legislature is that introduced by Mr. Marshall for the amendment of the law of libel. The law as it stands is a relic of the barbarous ages in which newspapers were unknown. In some respect the old English rule, which held to the principle, "the greater the truth, the greater the libel," has been modified in this State, but the statute still ignores the conditions under which newspapers are now published. The presumption of malice in the publication of news in a modern paper is absurdly irrational, as is also the assumption that injury inflicted by erroneous statements can only be repaired by an award of money from the pocket of the publisher. Take the case of a paper like the Chicago Times as an illustration. From a local staff of twenty or thirty alert reporters, and four or five hundred special correspondents scattered all over the country, from San Francisco to Portland, from Duluth to Galveston, the Times receives nightly vast masses of news. That reporters or correspondents will be sometimes led in error or misrepresentation is inevitable. Is it possible that the news editor at his desk in the Times office shall distinguish at a glance the dispatch containing an injurious statement from that which is simply a record of interesting facts? The suggestion is preposterous. No human intelligence is capable of that, or of finding for correspondents in hundreds of towns and cities men of judgment so perfect and instinct so acute that they can never be misled or deceived. The most that can be reasonably asked is that reports shall be scanned with care; that correspondents or reporters who exhibit inaccuracy for their important trusts shall not be permitted to repeat blunders in which they have been detected, and the misstatements inadvertently published shall be corrected as promptly as possible. The first two of these conditions is insured by the self-interest of publishers who understand the importance of maintaining the character of their journals as newspapers. A refusal of the other would be presumptive proof of malice; but no newspaper refuses to correct a statement the erroneous character of which is shown by reasonable evidence. What is proposed in Mr. Marshall's bill is simply that the publication of a retraction of a false statement on two successive days shall be accepted as sufficient reparation for any wrong done in the erroneous report. This is common sense and justice, and the bill should be made.

AMONG the many school buildings recently visited, none

CITY DEPARTMENT.

SEE those lovely decorated china dinner and tea sets, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

CAINO pays her mayor \$1,000 per annum.

LOVELY lambrequins, at Abel & Locke's.

The News says the measles are rampant in Maroa.

The Decatur coal shaft is down over 300 feet.

ROLAND REED and "An Arabian Night," at the opera house to-night.

DECATUR Lodge of Good Templars will meet to-night to elect officers. Let there be a full attendance of the membership.

Now the low prices of admission to the Humpty Dumpty show to-morrow night—only 25 and 35 cents.

Quite a number of careless and ungodly young men and boys spent the Sabbath day skating on the river.

CALL at C. B. Prescott's in opera block and see those magnificent pianos and organs. Terms easy.

SATURDAY evening before dark it took three policemen, an express wagon, two horses and a driver to take a helpless country drunken man to the city jailhouse. He got there in due time.

Ashley & Address' stock is in a warehouse east of the mill, on Cerro Gordo street.

Just for a change, rain began to fall in generous drips last evening, and it continued to fall all night and part of the forenoon to-day.

You should sample that new process buckwheat flour, sold by Young Bros.

AGUSTUS HARPSTERITZ has been appointed administrator of the estate of John A. Horstein, the suicide, and has given a bond in the sum of \$4,500, with approved security.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ann Hurst, sister-in-law of Capt. J. N. Martin, took place from the family residence, on West Decatur street, this afternoon. She died on Saturday night.

Just received—new and fine of carpets at Abel & Locke's. Call and learn prices.

At the tabernacle next Saturday night Miss Aggie Andrews, the accomplished vocalist and musician, of Maroa. She will be assisted by the best Decatur talents.

There's no telling how many dogs there are in this county, but a floating paragraph states that there are 1,874 dogs in DeWitt county, being about one to every two voters. One voter alone has seventeen.

WHEN you go from "ice to oranges" on the Central excursion on the night of the 15th inst! The train will leave Decatur at midnight. Fare for the round trip \$16.50; tickets good for 30 days.

MONEY TO LOAN in sums of \$100 and upwards on city property. Apply to John A. Brown, Attorney-at-Law.

Feb. 4—d&w

The Bernhardt's receipts for five performances in Cincinnati were \$16,068. She will next fill a two-weeks' engagement at New Orleans, commencing to-night.

Faithful smokers should call for Schroeder's Bohemian nickel cigars, sold everywhere.

An exchange states that a reliable gentleman says the winter of 1882 was just like the one so far, and that it lasted that year till the first of April. Therefore he doesn't look for any special let up of blizzards for two months yet.

See what the druggists say about Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup. "It never fails to cure the worst case of cough or cold promptly and effectually." Price only 25 and 50 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

TRIMMED hats as low as \$1 at M. Falconer's and all other goods remarkably cheap.

LAST Sunday night a week Rice's New Evangeline Party attempted to give a performance at Lincoln, Neb., but the authorities said nay, and the opera house was unlighted.

BEAUTIFUL Ribbons, at Linn & Scruggs' Dec 13—d&w

A large lot of Hassocks and Ottomans will be closed out on our cheap counter at greatly reduced prices.

Jan. 6—d&w Linn & Scruggs.

EMMA WILLIAMS has removed her place of business in Central Block to more convenient quarters on the south side of Prairie street, three doors west of Water street, where she will be pleased to have her friends and patrons call. 17—d&w

WORKMEN! look to your interests and save doctor bills, by using Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup for all cases of coughs, colds, etc. Price only 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

Come and see the new style self-adjusting skates at Koraneyer & O'Neill's before purchasing elsewhere; also a complete line of Barney & Berry skates kept on hand; all at less than cost; 2 doors east of P. O. 1—d&w

Last night, between the opera house and M. P. Murphy's residence, a mink was captured. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the cape at this office. 5—d&w

For Sale. A good house of 3 rooms, summer kitchen, barn, etc., West Wood street, corner of Pine. Apply on premises. Jan. 27—d&w

SURE SIGN. If you see a lady drop her glove, and a gentleman by the side of her, kindly telling her to pick it up, that you need not hesitate in forming an opinion that they are engaged, and if you see a man drop his glove all covered with blotches and pimples, you must not hesitate but call them to use Spring Blossom. Prices 50c. 1—d&w

A RAILROAD company has been organized, under the name of the Pekin & Peoria railroad company. The company proposes to operate upon a system similar to that of the Chicago & Western Railroad Company, do all the business between Peoria and Peoria, and the switching at both points for the following roads: The Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western, the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville, the Peoria, Pekin & Jacksonville, and the Wabash. The four lines named are parties to the contract, and arrangements will be made by which the Illinois Midland and the C. P. & W. will co-operate with them.

JUDGE ISA B. CURTIS rejoices in the possession of a magnificent easy chair and perambulator, worth \$45. It was manufactured by the New Haven, Conn., Folding Chair Company, has writing desk and book-case attachments, a high back and foot-rest, is elegantly upholstered in leather, and is mounted on large wheels that roll over rough sidewalks and crossings with ease and swiftness. It is just what the Doctor has long needed and we hope he may live to enjoy its comforts for many years.

VOTZEN, the Christian county wife-murderer, who is now in jail at Taylorville, is in a speechless condition, owing to the fact that one side of his face is blown away. He will live to stretch hemp. By signs and gestures he says he is not sorry for what he has done, and indicates that he would do the same thing over again under the same circumstances.

"THE WONDERS OF MAN"

Another very large congregation assembled at the Opera House last evening to hear an address upon the above subject delivered by Rev. T. T. Kendrick. Prof. Stanley [and] daughter, of Belleville, sang in the choir, and Prof. Goodman's orchestra was present as usual. At the close of the address the following commission was read by Mr. Kendrick:

"To All Who May Concern: This to certify that Rev. T. T. Kendrick has been designated and admitted by the Superior Conference of Assumption Mission, South Illinois Annual Conference, as a minister of the Methodist Protestant Church, he having been duly ordained according to the usages and discipline of the same. He is a Protestant minister of whom he has been a student and minister. And he is hereby authorized by said Quarterly Conference, as long as his life and doctrine accord with the Holy Scriptures, to administer the Lord's Supper to baptized persons to whom he has been called to administer it, God taking the oversight thereof, not as a Lord over God's heritage, but being an example to the flock. Signed by order and behalf of the aforesaid Quarterly Conference Feb. 6th, 1881.

D. B. [unclear] Chairman, and preacher in charge.

J. A. WORKMAN, Secretary.

It was stated that all who wished to contribute any cash toward the incidental expenses of the congregation, could do so by leaving the change at the box office as the people passed out.

DEVELIN'S "DISCOURSE."

"Rev. A. P. Develin, formerly a Roman Catholic," stood, up before an audience of 14 men at Powers' Hall last evening, and spoke for one hour and a quarter. The speech was rambling, disconnected harangue, delivered in a howling, ear-splitting tone of voice. He said he was born and raised a Jesuit, that for 34 years he was a dutiful son of the Catholic Church, but he had become disgusted with a religion of authority and had united with a Protestant denomination. He became disgusted again, and is now a rambler on the face of the earth. He promised to make an expose of the secrets of the confessional, but to the man fest disappointment of the deluded hearers, he had nothing particularly fresh to say on that point. He said the temperance movement would never be a success, because the preachers had too much to do with it, which fact causes the drinkers to stand back and remain at the bar.

D. Develin has doubtless had a checkered experience, for when a public speaker begins to abuse the press of the country you can generally put him down as a loose and irresponsible character, one that is hardly deserving of consideration. He made no personal allusions in his talk last night, and even failed to name the person whom he thinks to be the meanest man in town. Probably he forgot to do so. He hates England, hates the Catholics, hates the Protestants, hates newspapers that don't praise and puff him, and says he will never lecture in Illinois again if he can help it. Develin left for the east last night. So long, Devy! may we never see your battered phiz again, nor hear your cracked voice.

REV. A. ARMENTROUT

filled his appointment at Stapp's Chapel on Sunday, and preached two excellent discourses to good congregations.

"A Regular Screamer."

The rollicking comedy, "An Arabian Night," will be presented at the opera house to-night by Roland Reed and a splendid company. That the reader may have an idea of the character of the play we append the following from the St. Paul Pioneer Press:

The piece was evidently written for the sole purpose of making people laugh. Mr. Alexander Spinkle (Roland Reed), a young husband, is infatuated with the tales of the Arabian Night, and in attempting to imitate the methods of Haroun Al Raschid in relieving the needy, encounters Rosa Maybloom (Miss Alice Hastings), a circus rider, whom he befriends. The couple are surprised by Spinkle's mother-in-law, and in order to allay her suspicions, Spinkle tells her that the circus rider is his niece, whose arrival has been expected for some time. Soon after the real niece arrives, and there ensues a series of bewildering and ridiculous complications which nearly worry the life out of the young husband. The piece partakes of the "regular screamer" order, and is entirely devoted to fun and frolic.

Admission, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Mosaic.

Special convocation of Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. M., this evening, for work in the 3d degree. Members of Macon Lodge and visiting brothers are invited to attend. J. C. HOSTETTER, W. M. J. R. BOYER, Secy.

DR. ROBERT'S VEGETABLE WORM SYRUP instantly destroys worms and removes the secretions which cause them.

Over 155,000 Howe Scales sold. Borden, Belbeck & Co., agents, Chicago, Ill. Septembre.

SOFT NUT Coal an dry stove wood McClelland's coal yard.

May 17—d&w

SURE SIGN.

If you see a lady drop her glove, and a gentleman by the side of her, kindly telling her to pick it up, that you need not hesitate in forming an opinion that they are engaged, and if you see a man drop his glove all covered with blotches and pimples, you must not hesitate but call them to use Spring Blossom. Prices 50c. 1—d&w

THE PULPIT AND PASTORUM.

Homilies and Lectures Delivered on Sunday at Various Public Places.

THE TABERNACLE.

Elder Shields addressed two large audiences at the tabernacle, one on Saturday evening and another on Sunday afternoon. Little Mabel Prentiss gave a pleasing recitation yesterday, and there was splendid quartet singing, led by D. L. Bunn, Esq. Elder Shields will speak again to-night, and on Wednesday night one or more delegates to the Grand Council of Royal Templars of Temperance, will speak at the tabernacle.

ELDER J. HALL.

occupied the pulpit at the Christian Church on Sunday morning and evening. At the morning hour the Elder delivered a discourse on "Christian Duty." The subject was well handled. There were fine congregations in attendance. At present this church is without a pastor.

TEPPIERANCE.

GEN. J. H. MOORE was greeted by a fair congregation at the 1st M. E. church last evening. He discussed the temperance question from a business and religious standpoint, and said that whatever corrupted the morals of a community or injured the business of a town, should be swept out of existence. It was a calm and argumentative presentation of the subject and engrossed very close attention.

CHARLES CASSELL.

Charles Cassell, who has been in charge of the REPUBLICAN steam press room for the past seven years, left for Chicago on Sunday night, and will enter a large printing house at the big city. His place has been supplied by Charles Fletcher, late of H. W. Hill & Co. The very best agent of the REPUBLICAN go with Mr. Cassell. He is a faithful pressman, and will succeed wherever he goes.

CHARLES TYLER.

Charles Tyler departed for Chicago this noon. Springfield Journal: Capt. J. W. Vance, of Paris, has been appointed Major and Inspector of the Second Brigade, on Gen. Reece's staff, by Adjutant General H. L. Ward, vice Major G. S. Dana, resigned.

CHARLES FREEMAN.

Charles Freeman, of Linn & Scruggs establishment, has gone to Mason City on a visit to friends.

GEORGE E. LARY.

George E. Lary, who has been the Decatur agent of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railway, retired from that position on Saturday noon. His successor is Charles B. Tyner, who immediately entered upon his duties. Mr. Lary's official record is spotless. He will soon be in the harness again, as he has already been offered several good places at a better salary than he was receiving here. Mr. Lary and Mr. Ferguson departed for Indianapolis last night, and both will probably visit Chicago before their return.

LOW PRICES—25 and 35 CENTS.

Among the many flattering notices which have been accorded the Gibbons & Miao Humpty Dumpty Company we find the following from the Detroit Free Press. It speaks as follows: The action is rapid, the fun is spirited. Alfred F. Miao is a very amusing clown, and the remaining people are in the right places. The second act is devoted to specialties that are among the best seen upon the Detroit stage in several years. Aubrey and Dashaway do a brilliant horizontal bar act. Laura Miao performs startling feats upon the trapeze. Jennie Miao's scarf song with dance is admirable, and Miss Allie Smith is a very pretty dancer. A troupe of educated dogs delight the children, and Alfred Miao does wonders on stilts, while the blooded pig creates tumultuous applause from all. Messrs. Wilson & Thearle are playing this company under the auspices of their World Lyceum Bureau. Do not miss enjoying yourself Tuesday evening at the opera house.

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CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Wheat, 37c; March, 36c; April, \$1.01; May, Corn—32c; March, 41c; May, Oats—29c; March, 30c; May, Pork—\$14.47; March, 31c; April, 32c; May, 33c.

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THE MARKETS.

Following were the noon closing quotations at McWhorter & Rollins' "board of trade" room to-day:

CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Wheat, \$1.01; March, \$1.01; April, \$1.02; May, Corn, 45c; May, Oats—29c; March, 30c; May, Pork—\$14.47; March, 31c; April, 32c; May, 33c.

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HOGS.

Hogs—Estimated receipts 14,000; cattle 5,000; mixed hogs \$5.10 to \$5.45; light \$7.15 to \$7.50; heavy \$5.50 to \$5.80.

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